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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
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Commissioner:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, and in accordance with the provisions in the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §§ 609 and 707.05(b), enclosed is FORM PTO/SB/08A/B listing a reference that is known to applicant. A copy of the listed reference is enclosed. The present application and U.S. application No. 10/160,987 filed May 31, 2002 discloses subject matter that may be considered related to each other. To the best of the undersigned's knowledge this filing is being made prior to the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.


It is respectfully requested that the listed reference be considered in the examination of this application and identified on the list of references cited on the patent issuing for this application. Applicant also requests that an initialed copy of FORM PTO/SB/08A/B be entered

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Respectfully submitted,

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